

Stormproof your tank

The Texas Railroad Commission, the state's chief energy agency, recommends the following safety checklist if your residence is likely to be affected by floods, hurricanes or other severe-weather emergencies.

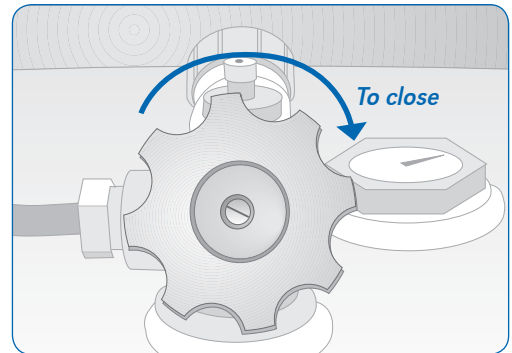
Getting ready for a flood, hurricane or similar emergency:

1. Properly secure your propane tank, if possible.
2. Turn off the gas supply valve at the tank.
3. Fasten the protective dome on the tank.
4. Turn off appliance pilot lights, control valves and manual shut-off valves.
5. Ensure an adequate supply of fuel is in the tank.

After the emergency has passed, look for visible structural damage, including damaged external venting/vent caps.

Call your propane dealer or qualified technician if:

1. You smell propane gas.
2. Your propane tank has shifted or moved.
3. The propane tank regulator or appliances have been exposed to water.
4. The propane gas lines are broken, bent, damaged or have pulled away from the propane tank or appliances.
5. Your tank is touching the ground and/or is no longer level.



Gas supply valve